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Date: August 1, 1995

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

"Small Entity"

Inventor(s):

Appln. No.:

Title:

Sir:

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

This is an Amendment in the above-identified application and includes the herewith attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated hereinto by reference and the signature below is to be treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto. 70

FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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Claims remaining after amendment	Highest number previously paid for	Present Extra	Large/Small Entity	Additional Fee	Fee Code	
7	minus 20 =	0	x \$22/\$11 =	= \$	103/203	
4	minus 3 =	0	x \$76/\$38 =	\$	102/202	
4. If amendment enters proper multiple dependent claim(s) into this application + \$240/\$120 = for first time (leave blank if this is a reissue application) add					104/204	
None	X August 1, 1	995				
6. Petition is hereby made to extend the <u>original</u> (1 mo) \$110/due date to cover the date this response is filed (2 mos) \$370/for which the requisite fee is attached				=	115/215 116/216 117/217	
d, <u>add</u> Rule 20(d)	official fee		+ \$110/\$55 =	\$	148/248	
8. If IDS attached requires Official Fee, add + \$210 or if Rule 97(d) Petition + \$130				1 *	126 122	
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Subtotal =					\$0.00	
12. Enter any previous extension fee paid since above original due date (item 5) and subtract					\$	
13. TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED =				\$0.00		
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14. "If the entry in this space is less than entry in the next space, the "Present Extra" result is "0".

15. **If the "Highest number previously paid for" in this space is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

16.**If the "Highest number previously paid for" in this space is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

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This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal sheet is filed. transmittal sheet is filed.

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August 1, -1995

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sir:

In response to the Official Action dated May 1, 1995, kindly enter the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Amend claim 1 as follows:

on line 5, delete ", PV",

on line 6, change "V2" to --ml--; and

on line 12, change "1.2" to --3.5--.

Kindly add the following claim:

-7. The precipitated silica according to claim 1,

wherein the DBP/CTAB ratio \is\1.2 to 2.4.-